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Applicant:

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Title:

CATHODE-RAY TUBE IMPLOSION-PROOF ADHESIVE MESH TAPE

AND USES THEREOF

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.6(d):

I hereby certify that this paper is being transmitted by facsimile to the US. Patent and Trademark Office on April 18,

2003.

Name: Lisa Dom

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Box AF Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.191, Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the final rejection of claims 1 and 3-9 of the above-identified application, as set forth in the Office Action mailed November 19, 2002.

Our check in the amount of \$320.00 is enclosed to cover the required fee for filing this Notice of Appeal as set forth under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b).

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Also enclosed is a Petition for 2-month extension of time to respond to the final rejection,

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thereby extending said period of response from February 19, 2003 to April 19, 2003. Our check

in the amount of \$410.00 is enclosed to cover the required extension fee for large entity.

Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Merchant & Gould P.C., Deposit Account No. 13-2725.

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Dated: April 18, 2003

Respectfully Submitted,

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